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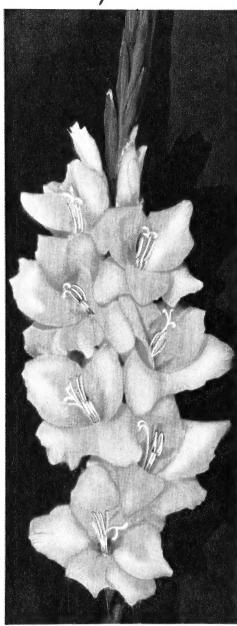
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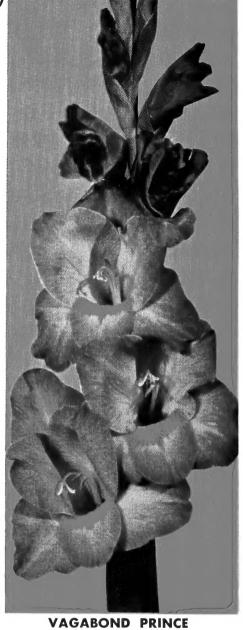
CHAS. A. STEVENS Lovely soft rose-pink, much lighter in the throat making a contrast that is remarkable under light. Excels for basket work and make-ub.

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**BLACK OUT** Color of a brilliant cherry-red, blotched an intense glowing black on lower throat petals. Carries 6 to 8 medium decorative florets on a good spike.

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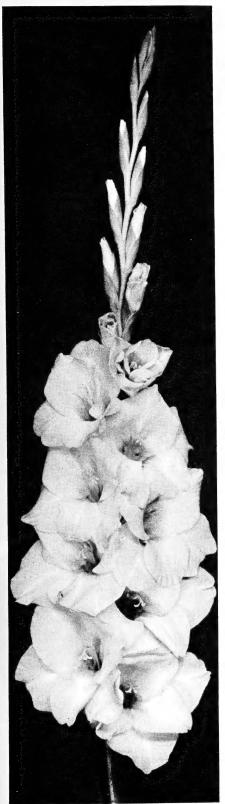
One of the most unusual tones we have, a garnet brown lighter in upper part of throat, small conspicuous blotch of scarlet on lower lip. Very attractive.

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Decoration on Front Cover — Varieties Red Cherry and Leading Lady.

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# orchid blush — The blooms are of the most perfect size and shape, on a very formal spike, we have ever seen. One of the best new ones for 1954.

# Beautiful NEW Varieties for 1954 Gardens

ADORABLE Ruffled (561) 80 days

A beautiful pastel lavender pink, with deeper lavender feather on lower throat petal. 22 buds on a good flower head. A favorable florist variety.

> 50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

ANNE SHERMAN Ruffled (540) 75 days Self color shell-pink tone with white midrib. Very heavily ruffled, huge grower. 51/2-inch florets on a 60-inch spike. American Home Medal winner. Outstanding.

\$1.00 ea., 3 for \$2.50 Bulblets 10 for \$1.00, 100 for \$6.00

FALCON Ruffled (567) 80 days

The lavender that has won many awards. Large recurved florets fluted and needle-point petals. A real beauty to grow. Opens 6 on a 20 bud spike.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

MADELINE HEFTY Ruffled (466) 85 days

Rose lavender with a deeper rose throat blotch. Grows 55 inches tall with as many as 10 open.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ -inch florets. Winner of many top awards.

35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$22.00 Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50

MANDARIN Ruffled (450) 80 days

Chinese red shade, gorgeous color. Very heavily ruffled that just about tops all. This should be a must in your garden this year.

\$1.00 ea., 3 for \$2.50 Bulblets 10 for \$1.00, 100 for \$6.00

MISS MADISON Ruffled (540) 85 days

Ruffled pastel rose pink with a rich cream lower throat petal. 8 to 10 open, voted most popular and beautiful at several shows. Gorgeous and lovely.

\$1.00 ea., 3 for \$2.50 Bulblets 10 for \$1.00, 100 for \$6.00 ORCHID BLUSH

Plain Petaled (466) 82 days

Light lavender with small silvery white blotch, overall effect a light lavender self. 8 open with at least 8 showing color. Since 1949 when first exhibited has been a heavy winner of prizes.

\$2.00 each

TRULY FAIR Ruffled (464) 65 days

Perfect balanced spike of 58 inches, 30-inch flowerhead. Richest American Beauty Red color. Early blooming, tall strong grower.

\$2.00 each Bulblets 10 for \$2.00

WHISTLE STOP Ruffled (462) 80 days

No doubt about it, we say the tops of the rose purples. Very lengthy flowerhead, 24 buds. Grows very tall. Opens 10 or more fluted florets of a brilliant color.

\$2.00 each Bulblets 10 for \$2.00

ROSITA Ruffled (563) 85 days

One of the very finest new glads. Beautiful shade of rose with a deeper throat blotch. Many Grand Champions to its credit already. Very high scoring variety.

**\$2.00** each Bulblets 10 for \$2.00

WAX CANARY 1954 Release Ruffled (530) 80 days

Has an appearance of being waxed, heavy texture. 51/2-inch blooms, 22 bud spikes with 7 or more open. Light salmon with deeper salmon in throat. Lovely ruffling petals. Nothing like it on the market today.

\$3.00 each Bulblets 10 for \$5.00

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We celebrate our 74th Year with the Gladiolus, yes next year will be the diamond year completing quite a lengthy time growing and working with this ever so popular flower. This long period of service to our many thousands of customers make us feel very proud indeed, that our work in giving enjoyment and beautification to the world has pleased so many.

KUNDERD'S NATIONALLY ADVERTISED PRODUCTS are shipped all over the world with confidence. The many letters received each year commending us on our products make us strive to give better service and better products.

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Our shipping season starts the middle of December and continues until June 1st. Plantings may be at intervals of ten days to two weeks until you have completed the blooming period wanted, be sure and allow 85 days for bulbs to bloom, from each planting.

May we take this opportunity of thanking you for your patronage.

## General ALPHABETICAL LISTING of the FINEST NEW and STANDARD Varieties

#### ALL BULBS and PLANTS LISTED in this CATALOG - SENT POSTPAID

ABU HASSAN Plain Petaled (378) blooms in 80 days A variety that comes to us from Holland, Europe, that we feel has merit. Very much in color like the old variety Pelegrina, a deep violet blue. Larger flowers and one of the attractive varieties.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

ADVANCE Plain Petaled (470) blooms in 89 days
Deepest claret-red, large decorative type flower. Light
purple cast over entire flower. Feathered gold on lower
throat petals, 6 to 8 fairly large blooms open on a good
stem. Something in a new color for your garden.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

ALFRED NOBEL Plain Petaled (530) blooms in 86 days A very recent introduction of note. Color of a soft salmon-rose, white blotch in throat. Large florets.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

ALCHEMIST Plain Petaled (312) blooms in 62 days

A variety that is very scarce today in this country. Holland origination which is one of the finest. Golden yellow in color, with as many as 8 to 10 florets open at a time. Medium Decorative. Good stalk and rich texture.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet AL SMITH Plain Petaled (430) blooms in 53 days

Most beautiful shade of delicate pink; throat lighter, nicely feathered with red. Grows tall with perfect placement of florets on spike.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

ANNAMAE Plain Petaled (400) blooms in 61 days

Creamy white. Throat a deeper cream. Unusually choice white, excellent for floral use. One variety that will be a fine addition to your collection.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

AUREOLE Ruffled (410) blooms in 80 days

Heavily ruffled medium yellow. Texture is exceptionally heavy. A collector's favorite.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

BAGDAD Plain Petaled (580) blooms in 89 days

Smoky rose color, with massive plant and foliage. Large flowers with 5 to 6 open. Florets measure 5 to 6 inches.

7c ea., 10 for 65c, 100 for \$6.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

#### BALLET Plain Petaled (440) blooms in 80 days

Large saffron-orange color with florets measuring 4-5 inches of excellent texture. Opens well and blooms from very small bulbs. 18 bud spike, with colorful buds showing. Tall growing variety.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

#### BEACON Plain Petaled (437) blooms in 89 days

One of the favorites in the cut flower varieties on the market today. Rose-salmon with intense rich cream blotch, extending deep into throat. Comes slightly ruffled.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

#### BEAU BRUMMELL Ruffled (530) blooms in 86 days

A new exhibition novelty variety. Huge in size, intense clear orange salmon with cream throat. All buds showing color. Six giant blooms open at a time. A winner.

\$2.00 each 10 selected bulblets for \$4.00

#### BEAU IDEAL Ruffled (370) blooms in 80 days

Six to eight large, wide open florets grace this beautiful spike. Florets are a deep rose-purple, much deeper purple on lower petals.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### BENJAMIN BRITTEN Plain Petaled (366) blooms 83 days

New distinct shade of rhodamine purple overlaid with a fine white line. Healthy grower, a fine exhibition variety.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00

Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

#### BEOWULF Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 83 days

Tall growing lavender overcast with deeper rose lavender markings on all petals. Excellent to stand hot weather.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00

Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### BERTY SNOW Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 85 days

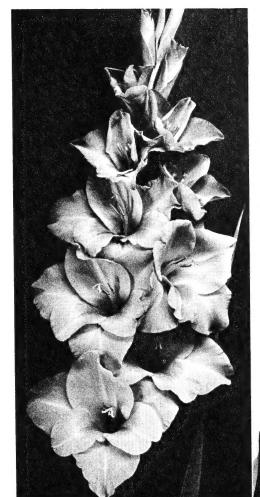
One of the older lavenders of note, excellent as a cut flower and most reliable. Lavender tint with an overcast of silver and white. Beautiful.

> 6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

#### BEVERLY Plain Petaled (470) blooms in 79 days

A charming variety of beauitful violet-rose with elegant deep red throat blotches. Grows tall with wide open florets. 5 to 6 open, texture unusual for a garden type flower that stands the sun well.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet



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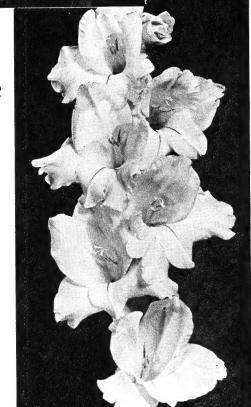
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BIT O 'HEAVEN Plain Petaled (320) blooms in 85 days

Very tall growing deep orange, with a contrasting yellow throat. Shows color on all buds, twenty or more and opens with as many as 10 to 12 at one time. Massive foliage and stands up well under all weather conditions.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

BLACK OPAL Plain Petaled (354) blooms in 86 days

The most dependable so-called "black," the Gladiolus that will startle you as to color, many florets open with a rich velvety texture. We know you will like this variety.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

BLACK OUT Plain Petaled (353) blooms in 75 days

Medium decorative flower, color of a brilliant cherry red — blotched an intense rich glowing black on lower throat petals, flaked black on outer wing petals. Very fine decorative flower, grows tall with perfect placement of florets. Spike carrying 8 to 10 open. 20 to 22 bud variety. Winner of many prizes.

35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$22.00 Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50

BLESSED DAMOSEL Ruffled (440) blooms in 95 days

Richest glowing pink with a beautiful formation of buds and florets on a medium spike. Very attractive. Good growing habits but makes a rough looking bulb.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

BLUE BEAUTY Plain Petaled (476) blooms in 77 days

Much lighter blue than others listed, vigorous grower. We state this variety to be a medium blue. Excellent cut flower habits. 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

BOULOGNE Plain Petaled (492) blooms in 85 days

One of Holland's outstanding varieties in the wine red class. 8 to 10 well placed blooms on a fine spike. Strong grower. Good propagator.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

BRIDAL ORCHID Ruffled (566) blooms in 85 days

Color a lovely lavender, lighter deep in the throat. 21 bud spike and opening 6 huge wide florets. Colorful and one of the real beauties to grow.

\$1.00 ea., 3 for \$2.50

#### **BUCKEYE BRONZE**

Plain Petaled (490) blooms in 85 days

One of the odd shades of Gladiolus originated by Mr. Wilson. Very outstanding old rose and bronze with a distinct orange shading. Six to eight open on an excellent spike. You will like this one.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### BURMA Ruffled (562) blooms in 88 days

One of the very popular show varieties, a sure winner. Heavily ruffled deep rose red. Wide open florets of largest size. Very heavy texture in florets, also huge foliage. A variety you will prize in your garden.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### CAMROSE Ruffled (440) blooms in 90 days

Lovely shade of light pink. Beautifully placed florets on a good clean spike. 6 to 8 open florets at one time. We still enjoy growing this variety.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### CANARY Plain Petaled (312) blooms in 76 days

Fine cutting variety. Tall growing yellow of a medium tone. 6 to 8 nicely open florets on a healthy robust plant. We like this yellow very much.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### CASABLANCA Ruffled (400) blooms in 90 days

Very tall growing, late, creamy white. Opens six to eight large size blooms heavily ruffled. Becoming very fast a fine commercial variety.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### CHAS. A. STEVENS

Plain Petaled (440) blooms in 78 days

Large flowers of finest soft rose-pink, lighter in throat. Very much used for basket work. Strong and upright grower. Excellent as a cut flower for home decorations.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### CHAMOUNY Plain Petaled (360) blooms in 80 days

One of the most interesting newer gladiolus varieties in the true rose color. Very fine for exhibitions in this color class. Little deeper rose color than Gov. Pinchot.

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#### CHERRY JAM Ruffled (543) blooms in 79 days

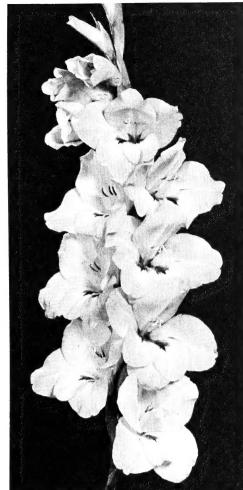
Heavily ruffled deep salmon variety. Richest salmon color with a conspicuous cherry-red blotch. Opens eight to ten fine florets on heavy stalks. Fine.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### CHINA SEA Plain Petaled (484) blooms in 88 days

A very odd shape in the smokies. Bluish salmon, rose and pink combination, yellow and rose mid-rib on lower petals. As many as 10 to 12 open, tall, richest green foliage. Fine seed parent for the Hybridizers.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Buiblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00



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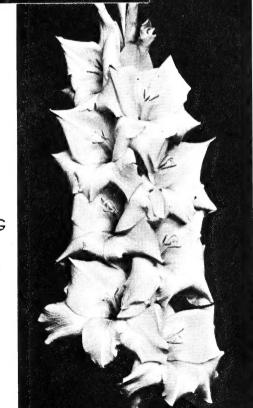
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GEN. EISENHOWER CLINGENDAAL Ruffled (450) blooms in 85 days

Medium shade of brick red. Many florets open on a
straight stalk. This is another Holland variety that we
like. 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00

Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### COOPERII SPECIES

Plain Petaled (220) blooms in 85 days
Fine foliage with good size florets. Plant 3 feet and up.
Yellow color with red flaking. One of the rare species.
50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75

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CORONATION Plain Petaled (430) blooms in 85 days Large, tall growing, light creamy salmon variety. Rich yellow throat. One beauty you will enjoy very much.

> 6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

DIEPPE Ruffled (436) blooms in 85 days

This is one of the finest dazzling scarlets we have ever grown. 7 to 8 open beautifully frilled florets on a nice heavy and long spike. A top commercial variety to grow.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

DUNA Plain Petaled (316) blooms in 86 days
Unusual and different color combinations. Soft pink and
buff. Good clean cut color that shows up well in arrangements, florist work, etc. Five or six blooms open
at once.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50

DYNA Plain Petaled (332) blooms in 72 days

Medium decorative variety. Unusual combination of salmon-pink, with heavy throat blotch of golden yellow on both lower petals. Growing 5 feet under normal field conditions, stalk and plant heavy, 5 to 6 flowers open.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

Buiblets 50c per packet

#### ELIZABETH THE QUEEN

Ruffled (566) blooms in 90 days

Huge wide open ruffled flowers of a gorgeous lavender color, blushed pink. Vigorous grower that responds under most any weather. 7 to 8 florets open. Wonderful exhibition variety. 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

ELSIE ADELE Plain Petaled (440) blooms in 76 days Light pink slightly tinted salmon. Grows tall with wide open flowers. Tall spike, 6 to 8 open. Good.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### ETHEL CAVE COLE

Plain Petaled (440) blooms in 89 days
A very large exhibition pink variety. As many as 10 to
12 florets open on a fine spike. Beautiful color and
stands up well as a good commercial variety for all
around uses.

7c ea., 10 for 65c, 100 for \$6.00
Bulblets 50c per packet

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#### EVANGELINE Ruffled (540) blooms in 92 days

Large ruffled 51/2 inch florets of a light rose-pink color. 8 to 12 open at one time. Long flowerhead. Winner of many awards. 35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$22.00

Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50

#### EXCELLENCE Plain Petaled (450) blooms in 69 days

Deep orange-vermilion, self-color in effect. Everyone who sees this variety in bloom marvels at its gorgeous color. The outstanding early red Gladiolus.

7c ea., 10 for 65c, 100 for \$6.00 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### FLORA NAHIGIAN

Plain Petaled (430) blooms in 95 days Beautiful new glistening salmon with an overcast of buff in the throat, central petal cream and yellow. Grows very tall with 8 florets open. Many buds showing.

> 35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$22.00 Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50

#### FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE

Ruffled (400) blooms in 88 days
Highest rated white in Canada. Grows very tall, 8 to
10 open with 22 buds. Excellent substance and perfect
placement.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00
Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### FORTUNE Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 89 days

Classified as a decorative flower. 31/2 to 4 inches. Lavender pink ground color, deeper lavender rose in throat with throat markings of cream. 8 to 10 blooms open, color showing on the balance of spike.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

#### GARDENIA Plain Petaled (306) blooms in 85 days

Very fine cut flower. Self creamy-white, five to six florets open on a 20 to 22 bud spike. Tall growing.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

#### GEN. DOUGLAS MacARTHUR

Ruffled (441) blooms in 80 days

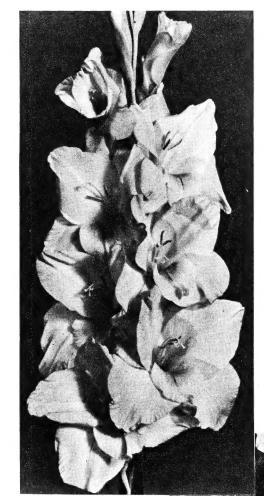
Very early pink variety of a good size. Six to eight open blooms on a fine spike. Very heavily ruffled. We think this variety has a wonderful future as a commercial of value.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

#### GEN. EISENHOWER Ruffled (542) blooms in 85 days

A real giant among the glads. Deep bright hydrangea pink color. 8 to 10 open on a straight upright stalk, perfect form. You will enjoy and appreciate this variety.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00



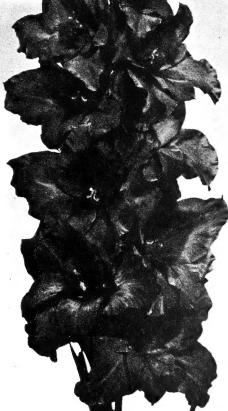
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GIANT RED Plain Petaled (554) blooms in 89 days

The name giant is just what it states, huge wide open flowers with a very heavy stalk. 6 to 8 open on a 20 bud head. Rich deep red self color. Fine habits.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

GLOWING Plain Petaled (316) blooms in 78 days Looks like a Pernet Rose. Creamy yellow cup florets, as many as 8 to 10 open on a straight stalk. Something different in the Gladiolus, fine for florist work.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

GOLD DUST Plain Petaled (412) blooms in 75 days Deep early yellow. We find this variety to grow quite tall and has good commercial possibilities. One of the older varieties, still hard to beat today.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

GOLDEN BLEND Ruffled (320) blooms in 86 days
Wonderful combination of orange, yellow and cream.
Graceful spike, ruffled blooms and grows very tall. One of the Champions in first prizes at several recent shows.
A florist variety.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75
Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

GOLDEN GATE Plain Petaled (410) blooms in 70 days
Large flowering, clear, true toned yellow. No markings.
This variety is very showy, good substance and one that
will hold up well under all conditions. We feel this
variety is the best yellow plain petaled variety in
existence.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00
Bulblets 35c per packet

GOLDEN TETON Plain Petaled (412) blooms in 90 days Strong growing yellow with orange flecking. Spikes are very tall, robust growing, with as many as 8 heavy blooms open at a time. Very good.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

GRAND DAY Plain Petaled (452) blooms in 79 days A very fine substitute for the variety Dr. Bennett. Very prolific scarlet red flower, very early bloomer, 4 to 5 Medium Decorative size florets on a good healthy spike and plant. Lower petals lined white like the former variety. Healthy for a red variety. Good texture.

20c ea., 10 for \$1.50, 100 for \$14.00 Bulblets 10 for 35c, 100 for \$2.50

GUINEA GOLD Plain Petaled (322) blooms in 90 days

An exceedingly brilliant deep orange self. Of fine height with perfectly placed florets of brilliant orange. Planted late makes a fine outstanding and cheerful flower.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet HARRY HOPKINS Plain Petaled (462) blooms in 85 days Richest wine red color that is very beautiful, remarkable glowing purple cast. Recommended highly.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

H. B. PITT Plain Petaled (430) blooms in 80 days
Tall strong spike, with flowers of a light orange pink.
Rich cream throat that is very pleasing.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

HEART'S DESIRE Ruffled (540) blooms in 80 days Excellent blooming creamy pink with heavily ruffled florets. A choice spike carrying 6 to 8 huge open flowers. One of the choice kinds to grow.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

HIGH FINANCE Plain Petaled (582) blooms in 95 days Beautiful large blooms of a smoky shade, flaked with slate. Grows tall and is a constant winner at shows.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2,00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

#### HOPMAN'S GLORY

Plain Petaled (312) blooms in 78 days Tall, bright yellow, with 5 good florets open. Shows buds in color entire flowering head. One of the Holland varieties recently produced.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

JEANIE JAMES Plain Petaled (378) blooms in 80 days Lovely shade of light violet blue. One of the earliest to bloom. 6 to 8 open on a fine spike.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

JERSEY CREAM Plain Petaled (406) blooms in 95 days This variety is very prolific, grows very tall and has lovely large florets. Richest cream ground color lighter on outer edges of petals. Many florets open.

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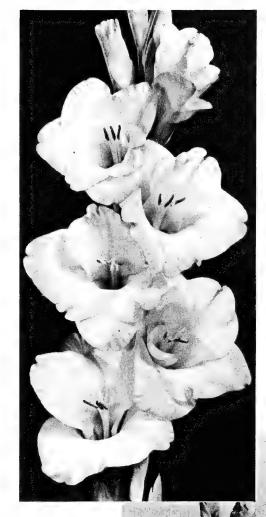
#### JOHANN STRAUSS

Plain Petaled (450) blooms in 75 days Lovely large blooms of scarlet red. Blooms very early and one of the favorites from Holland.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Buiblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

JOYLAND Ruffled (470) blooms in 79 days
First class spike, large, showy, finely ruffled rose-purple
flower. Deeper in throat. Perhaps unsurpassed in showy
grandeur, and a high class cut flower. Very extra and
distinct.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00
Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00



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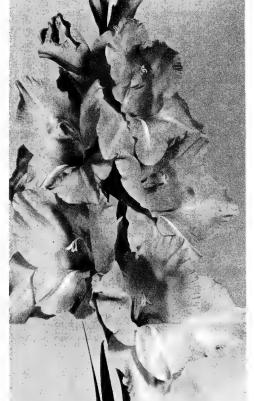
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ROSE UNIQUE JUNE BELLS Plain Petaled (406) blooms in 75 days
A very fine pure white that is wonderful for cutting.
Excellent stalk, fine foliage.

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Magnificent large new purple. Grows tall and has huge blooms. Winner of many awards at leading Gladiolus Shows in the past few years. Many large florets open at a time. Nicely waved and has a lustrous sheen overcast. Beautiful.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

LADY BOO Plain Petaled (340) blooms in 90 days Clear light shrimp pink. 6 to 8 lovely placed florets on a good heavy stem.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

LADY JANE Ruffled (406) blooms in 85 days
We find this variety to be of the very finest clear cream
with yellow lower petals that are very showy indeed.
One fine variety, needs good culture for best results.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

An excellent salmon-pink (51/2 inch) exhibition and commercial variety with an unheard of show performance for the years since its introduction. Opens wide-open, 8 well placed attractive blooms which are firmly attached, with a total of 18-20 buds on a well balanced spike.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00

LANTANA Plain Petaled (420) blooms in 75 days
Orange with a large golden throat. Vivid color which is
very distinctive. Opens 7 to 8 blooms on a good flower
head. Popular florist variety.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2,00

#### LAVENDER DREAM

Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 85 days Light lavender originated in Holland. Blooms fairly early, medium large florets on a graceful spike. Lovely.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### LAVENDER PRINCE

Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 85 days. The lavender class is now filled with this lovely new gladiolus. Very clean color, a variety that will propagate very easily, with tall spikes. A good cut flower and a very heavy show winner of note.

35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$22.00 Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50 LAVENDER RUFFLES Ruffled (366) blooms in 72 days
Beautiful cut spikes with many florets open on a fine
spike grace this lovely plant. Color a clear lavender
blushed a shrimp pink. Very fine for decorations, table
arrangements, etc. Exquisite combination of color hard
to beat.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00

Bulblets 35c per packet

We class this variety one of the top Gladiolus of the day. Its exquisite tall spikes, eight large blooms open color of a beautiful silvery creamy white. Well placed florets at all times. Sport of Picardy. Has won many awards.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

LEEUWENHORST Plain Petaled (560) blooms in 85 days Tall light rose tinted with lavender. We can say that this variety is the heaviest growers and the largest flowers we have seen. Wonderful.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

LEWIS E. GARY Plain Petaled (406) blooms in 78 days Unopened buds have a golden flesh tinted color, but open flowers are of a very beautiful soft blush tinted cream, with lower throat of purest canary-yellow. When well grown 8 to 10 florets are open. Good tall spike.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

LUCRE Plain Petaled (412) blooms in 76 days

Richest lemon yellow ground color, deeper golden yellow in throat. Richest green foliage, tall growing spikes with as many as 6 to 8 florets open under field cultivation.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50

Builblets 50c per packet

LULU A. HUNT Plain Petaled (432) blooms in 83 days Richest soft salmon — pink variety. Grows very straight and most reliable as a cut flower variety. One of the older ones, yet very good.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet LYRIC Plain Petaled (422) blooms in 88 days

Tall growing orange with a beautiful blotch of richest yellow in throat. Many as 8 to 10 open. Very nice indeed in a new color combination.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

MAGNOLIA Ruffled (540) blooms in 85 days

Light soft creamy rose pink, no markings. Blooms are very large, 6 to 8 open on a well formed spike. Good indeed.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50

Bulblets 50c per packet

MARCO Ruffled (420) blooms in 86 days

Deepest heavily ruffled orange, with golden tinged throat. A large flowering variety of this type. Heavy texture, good flower-head with 20 buds, 5 to 6 open. A grand glad for exhibition or cut flower use.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

#### MARGARET BEATON

Plain Petaled (420) blooms in 85 days Strong grower. Finest pure white background with a bright orange-red blotch. A consistent show winner. This variety is one of the finest introductions.

> 7c ea., 10 for 65c, 100 for \$6.00 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### MARGARET FULTON

Plain Petaled (332) blooms in 85 days
Rich dark salmon, making it most desirable for a good
cut flower. 6 to 8 florets open. A beautiful commercial
variety.
6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00
Bulblets 35c per packet

#### MARSHAL MONTGOMERY

Ruffled (554) blooms in 83 days
Dark maroon velvety red with orange scarlet shadings.
6 to 8 well placed blooms on a good spike. Good deep
red.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00
Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

#### GLADIOLUS CLASSIFICATION CHART Adopted by the North American Gladiolus Council SIZES

Miniature Glads 100 — Florets under 2½ inches Small Glads 200 — 2½ inches through 3¼ inches Giant Glads 300 — Above 3¼ inches through 4¾ inches through 4¾ inches

Class		COLORS AS CLASSIFIED Class	IN LISTINGS	Class
00 White White Cream	00 Without consp. mark. 01 With conspic. mark. 06 W.O.W.C.M.***	36 Scarlet 36 40 Pink 40 (Light) Pink 41 (Light)	W.O.W.C.M. Without M. With C.M.	76 Violet 76 (Light) W.O.W.C.M. Violet 78 (Deep) W.O.W.C.M. 80 Smoky shades W.O.W.C.M.
10 Yellow Yellow Buff	10 (Light) W.O.W.C.M. 12 (Deep) W.O.W.C.M. 16 W.O.W.C.M.	Pink 42 (Deep) 50 Red 50 (Light) Red 52 (Deep)	W.O.W.C.M. W.O.W.C.M. W.O.W.C.M.	Smoky 82 (Oranga Smoky) Smoky 83 (Salmon Smoky) Smoky 84 (Pink Smoky)
20 Orange Orange	20 (Light) W.O.W.C.M. 22 (Deep) W.O.W.C.M.	Red 54 (Black) 60 Rose 60 (Light)	W.O.W.C.M. W.O.W.C.M. W.O.W.C.M.	Smoky 85 (Red Smoky) 86 (Lav. or Rose Smoky)
Orange 30 Salmon Salmon	24 (Red) W.O.W.C.M. 30 (Light) W.O.W.C.M. 32 (Deep) W.O.W.C.M.	Rose 62 (Deep) 66 Lavender 66 70 Purple 70	W.O.W.C.M. W.O.W.C.M. W.O.W.C.M.	90 Any other color.

\*\*\* W.O.W.C.M. Meaning With or Without Conspicuous Markings.
You will find Classification number following Type of flower in our listings. Thus — ABU HASSAN Plain Petaled (378)

MASKERADE Ruffled (413) blooms in 79 days

Yellow with red throat markings. One of the finest color combinations and markings. Good spikes, finest texture. Impressive when in bloom.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

MIDNIGHT Plain Petaled (452) blooms in 85 days Very rich brownish-red, with a distinct velvety cast or sheen on outer tips of petals. Light red in throat. Large decorative variety, 4 to 6 open florets. Very rich in color and most unusual. \$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.50

Bulblets 10 for \$1.00, 100 for \$8.00

#### MISS WISCONSIN

Plain Petaled (460) blooms in 90 days
One of the beautiful rose pinks to grow. Opens 8 nicely
balanced florets on a medium spike. A good cut-flower
for the grower.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00
Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

MISTY ROSE Plain Petaled (486) blooms in 89 days Large exhibition smoky pink, with a distinct marking or blotch of purest white on throat petals. Giant foliage of heavy texture. Grows tall.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

MORAVIAN Ruffled (366) blooms in 71 days

A wonderful shade of lavender. Throat soft creamy yellow overlaid with fine veins and tracings of purplish-red. Forces admirably and is a money-maker for the florist.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00

Bulblets 35c per packet

MORNING KISS Plain Petaled (500) blooms in 89 days

Purest white with a slight pinkish feathering in the lower throat petals. Grows very tall, heavy spike and a good cutting variety. 10 or more open florets at one time. Imported from Holland.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulbiets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

MOTHER KADEL Plain Petaled (310) blooms in 77 days Medium yellow without any other markings. One of the leading commercial yellows. Shipping qualities.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### MRS. MARKS MEMORY

Ruffled (570) blooms in 89 days

One of the largest giant purples we have ever seen growing. Huge stalks and spike, with many flowers open. Another Holland variety of note.

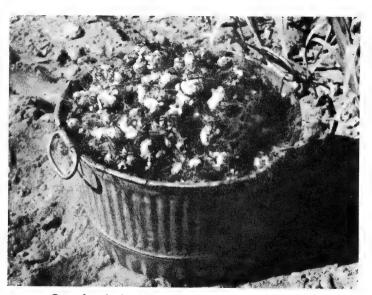
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MYRNA FAY Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 85 days Beautiful orchid lavender, opens 8 to 10 five inch florets, tall growing. Good habits after cutting. We feel this is one lavender with a future.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Builblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00



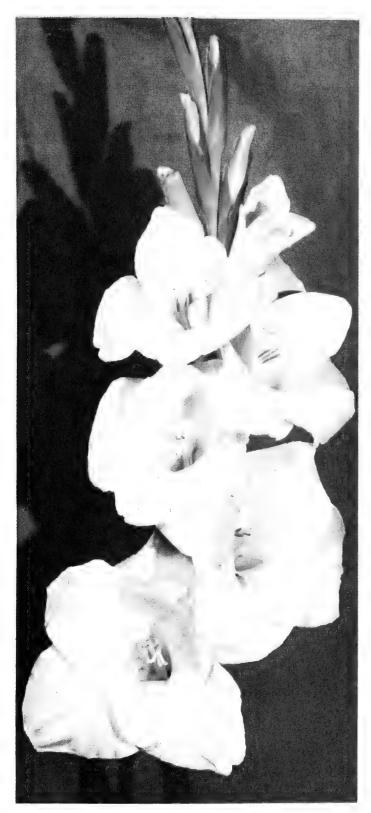
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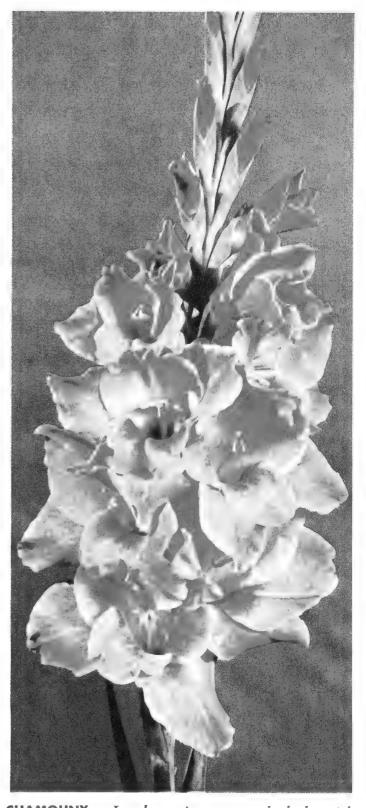


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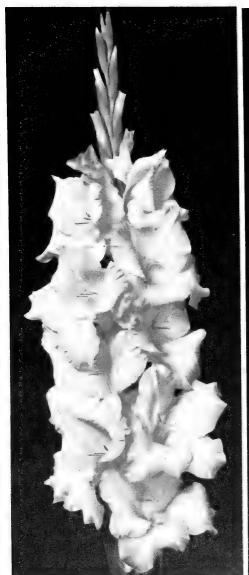
SNOW PRINCESS — Still the very most popular Commercial White Gladiolus to grow. Large florets, excellent keeper, opens with the best when cut in bud. Grows tall with nice foliage.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00



CHAMOUNY — Lovely cerise rose-red shade with silvery edge on all petals. Always 8 to 10 florets open on a long flowerhead. One of the very popular favorites to have.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00



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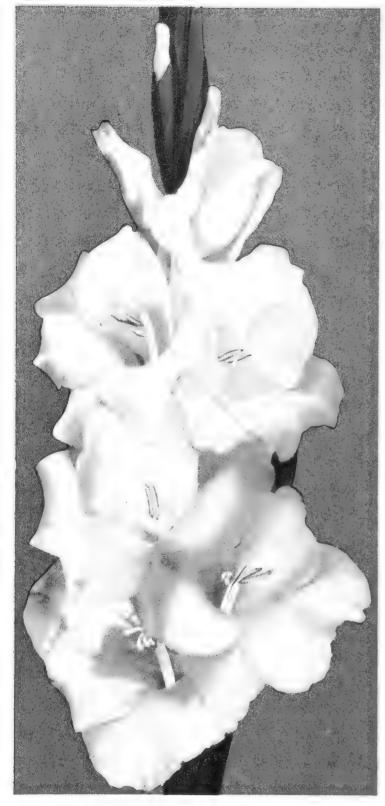
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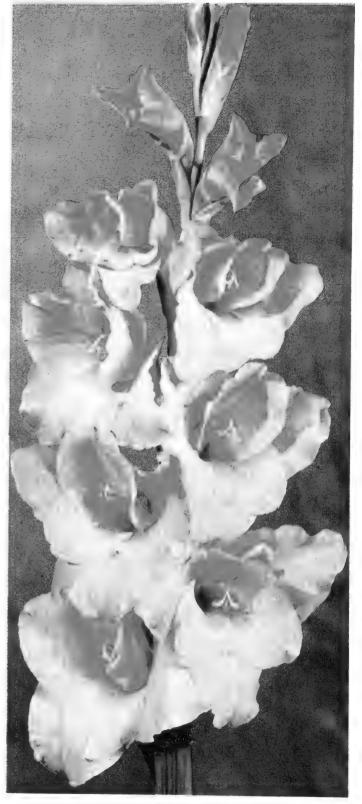
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**SPOTLIGHT** 



PACIFIC SKIES — A delightful combination of pale lavender with a glowing over-cast of pink. Throat a rich golden shade, making quite a reflection in the light. Opens from 6 to 8 at one time. Delightful in make-up work.

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PICARDY — You cannot give enough praise, for one of the most outstanding varieties of the times. Florets are very large, excellent shrimp pink, valuable for the market as a cut flower and for decorative purposes. Prized by Gladiolus fans everywhere for its remarkable performance.

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MY SYMPHONY Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 88 days

One of the high-lights of our recent introductions. Rich
lavender with rose blending. Tall growing, deep green
foliage, rose red throat blotch on central lower petal.

Very appealing. 10c each., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50

Bulblets 50c per packet

NEW HARMONY Plain Petaled (430) blooms in 84 days

A clear pink Gladiolus with a lighter throat. Magnificent as a cut flower, such clean plants and good foliage.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00

Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

NEW YORK Plain Petaled (564) blooms in 80 days Deep dark carmine-red. Grows very straight and tall with strong spikes. 8 to 10 florets open at one time with lasting qualities.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

NINETY GRAND Plain Petaled (432) blooms in 80 days Deepest salmon scarlet. Opens many nice large blooms on a very heavy plant. Opens well after cutting.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

OPECHEE Plain Petaled (486) blooms in 90 days
Something different in a smoky old rose tinted lavender.
Slightly feathered carmine on lower petals. 8 wide open
florets on a tine spike. A heavy winner in the smoky
class at recent shows. 50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75
Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

ORANGE GOLD Plain Petaled (422) blooms in 80 days Huge robust giant plants, strong and healthy. At least 5 to 8 open on an 18 bud spike. Self orange color that is very pleasing.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

OZONE Ruffled (466) blooms in 84 days Ruffled lavender, blushed white, rose feathered throat. Excellent foliage, heaviest stalk, and one of the early growing varieties in this color.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

PACIFIC SKIES Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 70 days Lovely pale lavender with a glowing overcast of pink. Tall cut spike very popular with the florist. Throat a rich golden shade extending on two central petals from outer edge to the depth of throat. Opens 6 to 8 florets.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

PACTOLUS Plain Petaled (417) blooms in 80 days Richest apricot cream with a prominent orange red throat blotch on the two central lower petals. Opens as many as 10 to 12 florets on heavy spikes. A Holland origination which is good.

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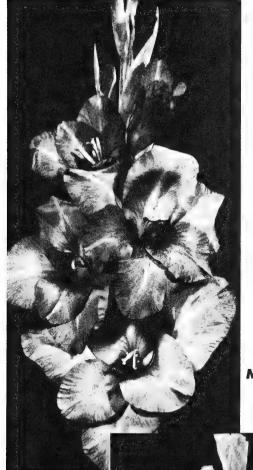
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#### PALETTE Plain Petaled (437) blooms in 85 days

Color a bright, uniform vermilion red, with a sharp contrast of clear purple blue throat blotch. Very colorful variety.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00

Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

PANDORA Plain Petaled (442) blooms in 85 days Soft geranium pink with a darker throat. As many as 10 open on a fine spike. Excellent cut flower.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

PARADISE Plain Petaled (416) blooms in 77 days
Large early apricot with narrow line of scarlet in throat;
nearly a self-color. Grows very tall with 6 or more
blooms open.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00
Bulblets 35c per packet

PAUL RUBENS Plain Petaled (470) blooms in 84 days

Magenta-purple color. Opens several large florets on a very fine spike. Tall growing. Holland origination.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### PHANTOM BEAUTY

Plain Petaled (440) blooms in 85 days A gorgeous shade of shell pink. As many as 10 to 12 open at a time. Makes a wonderful show spike.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### PHILIP BREITMEYER

Plain Petaled (366) blooms in 73 days A very soft rose-purple with a decided blush cast over entire flower; throat has wide red median lines with parallel thread lines of dark red on a whitish ground. A florist's variety of note.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

PICARDY Plain Petaled (530) blooms in 90 days

One of the most outstanding varieties of years. Florets massive of a fine color of shrimp-pink. Most valuable for cutting and decorative purposes. This variety is prized by the gladiolus fans everywhere. Long spikes carrying 7 to 10 florets open at a time.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

PINK CARNATION Ruffled (340) blooms in 89 days

The variety of Pink Carnation proved itself to be a vigorous grower in wet years as well as dry. Very healthy plant with strong, good spikes, carrying 6 to 8 strong florets of light rose-pink ground color, throat being of the clearest creamy white. One of the finest we have ever grown for color and growing habits.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00 PIRATE FLAG Plain Petaled (454) blooms in 89 days Medium decorative variety, of deepest claret color. Richer red in throat, beautiful combination of colors. Tall growing, richest green foliage.

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Ruffled (530) blooms in 85 days

Pullow blendings in throat blotched

8 to 10 florets open. Wonderful tex
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Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

#### PRINCESS BEATRIX

Plain Petaled (420) blooms in 86 days Purest light orange with a distinctive carmine-red blotch. Striking color with wide open blooms.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

PURPLE ROSE Plain Petaled (370) blooms in 88 days Light rose lavender with a feathered throat of purple. Very tall growing glad with as many as 10 to 12 open at one time. 22 bud variety.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

PURPLE SUPREME Ruffled (470) blooms in 85 days Very fine purple color that may be used for the show or for commercial use. Opens 8 to 9 very large florets on a good tall spike. Heavy propagator. Fine.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

QUARTINIAUS Plain Petaled (454) blooms in 120 days Immensely tall spike and heavy foliage. Very late flowering, with color of brick red and throat yellow. Valuable for late flowering.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

RAMONA Plain Petaled (300) blooms in 75 days Purest white with a light pink color showing on all buds. 8 or more open florets on a fine spike.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

RANGER Palin Petaled (370) blooms in 85 days Richest rose purple with slight golden feathered lines in throat. Excellent richest colors. Tall growing.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

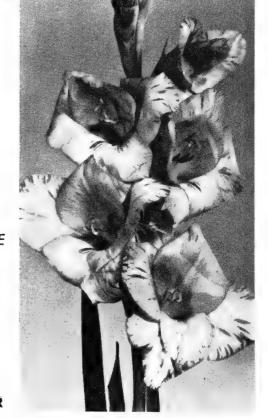
RAVEL Plain Petaled (477) blooms in 77 days Healthy grower for a violet-blue. Reddish brown throat blotch, good texture heavy plant.

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Plain Petaled (470) blooms in 89 days REREI ROSE

Richest tyrian rose-purple. Large spikes with 20 buds. 6 to 8 open. Excellent propagator. Size of florets would measure under ordinary conditions 4 to 5 inches. Colorful and a novelty you will like.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

Plain Petaled (452) blooms in 89 days RED CHARM

Dependable medium red, one of the best Commercials in this color. 8 to 10 open on a very beautiful plant and spike. Butt's origination.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

Plain Petaled (436) blooms in 70 days RED CHERRY Bright scarlet-red with darker throat. Wonderful wide open florets with 7 to 9 open. Very fine.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

**RED PENNY** Ruffled (436) blooms in 86 days

Lovely orange-red, with a straight strong spike that cuts very easily. 5 to 6 open on a 20 bud spike. Opens well and consistent bloomer.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

RED SPLENDOR Ruffled (452) blooms in 77 days A decidedly brilliant scarlet, with lower petals a deeper.

rich velvety red. Tall straight spikes. A show flower. 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8,50 Bulblets 50c per packet

**REWI FALLU** Plain Petaled (554) blooms in 79 days Massive deep red flowers. Better called blood red. If you are looking for a dark red that grows large we would suggest this one.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

ROSA VAN LIMA

the finest to grow.

Plain Petaled (460) blooms in 89 days Extremely tall growing, color of a beautiful light pink. We can highly recommend this variety as being one of

> 7c ea., 10 for 65c, 100 for \$6.00 Bulblets 50c per packet

ROSE UNIQUE Ruffled (460) blooms in 88 days Light silvery rose background with intense richest rose throat, a bright new variety that will be a grand addition to any collection.

> 35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$22.00 Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50

ROYAL PURPLE Plain Petaled (378) blooms in 99 days Quartinianus Hybrid. Large bloom of rich, deep purple, slightly red cast. Strong plant. Spike tall and slender. Fine for cutting.

> 6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

SALEM Plain Petaled (470) blooms in 88 days

A rose-red combination of color that meets the approval of everyone who sees it. Rich green foliage with husky plant. 8 large four inch blooms open. White median line on lower throat petals. Very promising as a coming Glad.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

#### SALMON'S GLORY

Plain Petaled (507) blooms in 84 days Immense large florets of a rich creamy white, with lower throat petals blotched carmine red. Florets tightly attached on a very fine heavy spike. A Holland importation.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### SEPTEMBER WHITE

Plain Petaled (400) blooms in 89 days One of the late whites that is outstanding. Grows tall, fine texture florets and many open.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

SILVER WINGS Ruffled (500) blooms in 88 days

A glistening white sport of Picardy, with florets that measure as great as 6 inches across, colorful buds showing on balance of spike. A very strong and healthy grower.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00

Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

SOLITA

Ruffled (320) blooms in 80 days

Light salmon tinted orange, with central lines of scarlet. Many blooms open on a fine slender spike.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

SPIC & SPAN Ruffled (442) blooms in 80 days

A tested and universally approved variety, consistent winner at leading flower shows. Fine deep pink with light salmon shadings, 8 to 10 open, florets 41/2 to 5 inches, medium tall spike that is easy to cut. A champion with us.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

SPLENDORRA Plain Petaled (454) blooms in 73 days Splendid very dark wine-black. Remarkable variety in the intense dark red class. Large floret and of the best quality in spike and plant.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

SPOTLIGHT Plain Petaled (413) blooms in 80 days

A very fine clear yellow with a small red throat blotch. Florets are of a large size, very fine keeper when cut. Opens about 7 to 8 florets at a time. Lovely.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

#### SKYLAND PINK

Plain Petaled (341) blooms in 82 days

Tall, perfect spike with large beautiful flowers, perfectly placed and spaced. Grows tall with six to seven flowers open. Color a lovely salmon shade, nearing a shrimp pink. Throat a clean white.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

SKYMASTER Plain Petaled (541) blooms in 85 days

Large white open florets on an extra straight spike long flower heads. Color of a soft chestnut-blossum rose. Beautiful.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

SNOW PRINCESS Plain Petaled (400) blooms in 84 days

What we would call an improved Maid of Orleans. Grows taller and a much better keeper as a cut flower. Large, pure white and cream.

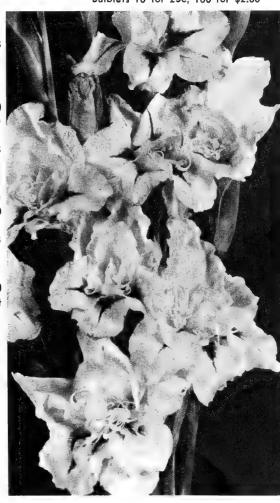
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#### SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

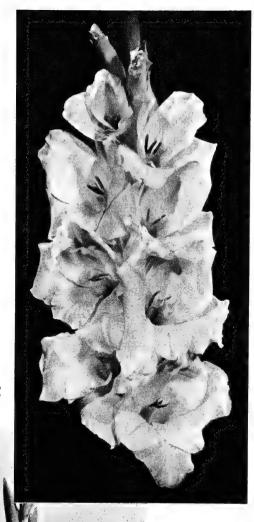
**DOUBLE VICTORY** — Ruffled Double Flowing (206) blooms in 65 days WE HAVE STOCK TO OFFER ONCE AGAIN OF THIS UNUSUAL ADDITION TO THE GLADIOLUS KINGDOM — ORDER NOW!

Yes at last a fully double Gladiolus with petaloids like a carnation. Blush white, light pink and cream in throat. Introduced in 1944 for one year and sold out of stock. We do now have a limited stock to offer once again.

\$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.50 POSTPAID



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SPRING MAID SPRING MAID Plain Petaled (332) blooms in 88 days

Deep salmon ground color, richest outer edge of petals

deep orange. Chrome yellow throat blotch. Thrifty plant. Cuts well and a good keeper. Novelty of note.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

SPRING MOON Plain Petaled (490) blooms in 89 days Spike of good height, 6 to 8 florets open at a time. Rose-lavender, with buff overcast, cream blotched throat. Good placement and a fine performer.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

STOPLIGHT Plain Petaled (450) blooms in 80 days Fine commercial red variety. Fine straight stems carrying 18 buds. 6 open florets well placed. Top notch commercial variety.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

SUNLIT BAY Plain Petaled (433) blooms in 90 days Deep salmon orange blending to a cream in throat slight feathering. Cup shaped florets. Heavy substance tall growing, 8 to 10 open.

> 50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

SUN MICA Plain Petaled (450) blooms in 85 days

Brick red stippled overcast on all petals of yellow and white. Golden cast in throat, 8 to 10 open, tall good foliage.

35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$2.00

Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50

SURFSIDE Ruffled (400) blooms in 89 days
One of the medium late varieties to grow. Ruffled white
ground color with a slight penciled throat. 7 to 8 florets

open on a very tall spike. Large flowers that are fine for commercial use.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50

Bulblets 50c per packet

TIVOLI Plain Petaled (460) blooms in 90 days An appealing shade of clean rose. Tall straight upright stems, with 8 to 10 florets open. Grand.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

TRULY GRAND Plain Petaled (370) blooms in 87 days NEW for 1952—Richest rose purple with intense royal rich red on lower throat petals. Very tall growing, 6 to 8 open on a heavy wiry spike.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

TYRONE Plain Petaled (466) blooms in 86 days
A new lavender with a record for exhibitions the first
year showing of 12 first prizes and 8 special rosettes.
Orchid lavender with throat slightly peppered lavender.
Uniform 6 to 8 open florets. Pointed effect, 20 to 22
buds. A wonderful glad with a future.

\$1.00 per bulb Bulblets 10 for \$1.00, 100 for \$8.00

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#### VAGABOND PRINCE

Plain Petaled (391) blooms in 90 days

An unusual garnet brown, lighter in upper throat, small conspicuous blotch of scarlet on lower lip. Variety of note.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50

Bulblets 50c per packet

VALERIA Plain Petaled (436) blooms in 90 days
A variety that is in big demand commercially. Scarlet
red color, blooms open from tight buds when cut and
placed in water. Very good.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

VIOLA GEM Plain Petaled (478) blooms in 79 days
Soft, mellow purple with velvety red throat. Outstanding in color.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50
Bulblets 50c per packet

VIOLET SKIES Plain Petaled (378) blooms in 85 days NEW FOR 1952—Light richest violet with cream stripes on all petals. Self color on back of flower. Nice spike carrying 5 to 6 florets open.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

VULCAN Plain Petaled (470) blooms in 82 days Large clear purple with 6 to 8 florets open. Consistent blooming habits. Pleasing color under light.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00 WESTFIELD Plain Petaled (406) blooms in 77 days

Large flowering white with cream and deep yellow throat. Many flowers open on a tall spike. Colorful buds showing color on balance of spike. An attractive variety to grow.

> 6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

WHITE GOLD Plain Petaled (506) blooms in 70 days

A record of a show Gladiolus that is sensational the past few years. Very large cream, tall growing, excellent commercially for its earliness.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

WOLVERINE Plain Petaled (390) blooms in 88 days

Coppery bronze with rich reddish brown on central petals, 6 to 8 open under ordinary field conditions. Tall growing. Unusual color.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

YELLOW HERALD Ruffled (411) blooms in 80 days

An early yellow with good strong growing habits. 5 to 6 open on a very heavy spike. Excellent foliage wide open florets. Fast propagator.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

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One Bulb each of all varieties in the General Alphabetical Listing 159 varieties,

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Two Bulbs each of all varieties 318 Bulbs in all,

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Ten Bulbs each of all varieties 1590 Bulbs in all,

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#### THREE LOVELY NEW MINIATURE VARIETIES

DRIVEN SNOW

Very tall growing, small-flowering dainty white, opening 6 to 8 florets. Size Champion at Central International Show in 1953. Beautiful. One of the first inbreds.

Ruffled (200) blooms in 76 days

Champion at Central International \$2.00 per bulb

LOVELY MARY
Miniature (232) blooms in 77 days

Richest glowing salmon with clear cream throat. Tall healthy and winner of many awards.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75, Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

TINY TIM Primulinus (206) blooms in 70 days

Tall cream, washed lavender and blushed pink. Healthy good propagator. Excellent in its color class.

30c ea., 10 for \$2.50, Bulblets 10 for 30c, 100 for \$2.50

### THE ALL-AMERICA GLADIOLUS SELECTIONS Look For Them in 1955

Like the rose growers who select the finest new roses each year for Special National Honors, you will now have All-America Gladiolus varieties, to grow in your garden.

Varieties selected by the leading growers and judges have been tested and submitted for introduction in 1955 from the All-America Winners of 1953.

Watch for our listing of the All-America Winners at that time; they will be listed and pictured in our catalog.

### PRIMULINUS and MINIATURE FLOWERING TYPES

#### UNEQUALED FOR THE HOME DECORATIONS - DAINTY AND BEAUTIFUL

The trend is here for the small flowering Miniature and Primulinus types which can be used so effectively in the home. They excel for their lovely pastels, pansy-like throats, lacy edged florets and dainty stems lending themselves wherever placed. Try to work with them this year with the use of other foliage so decorative in small bowls and vases. We offer you a wide selection of colors for your garden, they are very reliable.

AFTERGLOW Primulinus (320) blooms in 82 days Florets openly placed on spike—4 to 6 good sized ones open at a time. Deep orange on upper petals, lower petals tipped same color. Three lower petals almost entirely covered, deep, pure, unmarred yellow. Distinct and very striking.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

#### BABY SNAPDRAGON

Miniature (241) blooms in 65 days Looks just like the individual floret of a Snapdragon. Rose-pink shade edged with cream, on central parts of all petals. Exquisite colorings.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

BETTY CO-ED Primulinus (241) blooms in 72 days A medium pink, throat with blotches of cream. One of the older varieties but we do feel that it is still worth growing. Habits are very good.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

BLAZING STAR Primulinus (324) blooms in 69 days Intense rich orange, with glowing yellow throat blotches. Fine line of yellow on wing petals. A nice new addition to the Primulinus family.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

BLUE BELL Miniature (166) blooms in 70 days Light lavender blue background, with a shading of deeper blue and purple in throat. Flaked rich blue.

35c ea., 10 for \$2.50, 100 for \$22.00 Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50



WHITE BUTTERFLY

BORDER GEM Miniature (266) blooms in 68 days Lilac lavender blue, with a rich cream and yellow throat blotch. Pointed wing petals. Many open on a fine wiry stalk. Richest green foliage.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

BURNT ORANGE Primulinus (320) blooms in 69 days

Delightful small flowering gladiolus of a beautiful color. Apricot saffron and orange colors blended beautifully. Slightly lined red on lower petals. Beautiful for house bouquets. A new addition to the primulinus family.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

BUTTERBALL Ruffled (310) blooms in 75 days Intensely ruffled florets of a creamy yellow. Lower throat petals are of a rich golden yellow blotched carmine. Heavy texture. Something new.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

BUTTERBOY Primulinus (210) blooms in 66 days
Buttercup yellow flowers, with penciling on lower petals

only. Nicely placed on spike. Many awards to its credit.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

CHARMING Miniature (262) blooms in 65 days

A very odd variety of this type. Deep, tall, rose-pink, mottled deep red on all throat petals. Try this new variety.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00

Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

CHEERIO Miniature (170) blooms in 67 days

One of the newest miniatures which we are offering this year. Wine purple, red color. One of the finest we have grown, has upright habits on the stem.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

Bulblets 50c per packet

CHERIE Miniature (142) blooms in 70 days

Dainty rose-pink background with rich strawberry red markings. 4 to 5 florets open with color showing on rest of spike. Tall growing for a miniature flowering. Very colorful.

15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00

Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

Rose red outer petals, with purplish blue throat, white middle central lines. One very fine combination of colors.

Primulinus (250) blooms in 66 days
One very fine combination of 7c ea., 10 for 65c, 100 for \$6.00

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CUTIE Miniature (141) blooms in 69 days

Light pink ground color, with intense deep rose blotches in throat of florets. Grows very tall, with erect, straight stems. A new addition to the miniature family. Good substances, standing the winds and heat wonderfully 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

DAINTY Primulinus (316) blooms in 66 days Lovely salmon buff with richest creamy yellow throat. Good stems and fine texture florets. Dainty and lovely for decorative arrangements. Colorful.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

#### **DRACOCEPHELUS**

Plain Petaled (190) blooms in 69 days One of the most fascinating varieties we grow. It is the best of the South African Species that is known for size, blooms measuring 2 to 3 inches. Grows very tall on a fine upright stem. Color green, with yellow throat. Bend back petals of florets, looks like a spray orchid. Fine for table or corsage work.

> 35c per bulb — limit one to a customer. Bulblets 10 for 45c, 100 for \$3.50

EARLY ORANGE Primulinus (320) blooms in 61 days

One of the fine new Primulinus Grandiflora type gladiolus. Beautiful bright orange color which is very popular for bouquets and table decorations. Indeed beautiful. This variety is one of the very earliest of its kind.

> 8c ea., 10 for 75c, 100 for \$7.00 Bulblets 65c per packet

ELF Miniature (220) blooms in 66 days

Deepest orange-salmon, with a gorgeous yellow throat. Many open on a wiry spike. Grand for this type flower.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

FAIRY FANCY Miniature (206) blooms in 63 days

Dainty small cream color blooms blushed pink. For something in decorations try this variety.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

**FLAMINGO** Primulinus (336) blooms in 70 days Richest flaming scarlet. Slight feathering of deeper red. One of the new small flowers.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Buiblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

GIRALDA Primulinus (362) blooms in 66 days

Magenta rose color, creamy throat blotches on lower central petals. Many as 5 to 6 open on a very wiry spike. A true prim type. 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

GOLD FINCH Miniature (250) blooms in 65 days Vermilion color with a cream blotch in throat. A very dainty and refined gladiolus which is bright and alluring. Decorative. 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

Primulinus (312) blooms in 66 days GOLDEN FRILLS Intensely ruffled, well opened flowers of deep, rich daffodil-yellow, with rose-red lines on lower petals. Prize

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 winner. Bulblets 35c per packet

Miniature (252) blooms in 65 days **GYPSY** 

One of the new and distinct Miniatures which we offer for your collection. Richest rose-red with a violet throat. This variety excels for small arrangements.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

Miniature (212) blooms in 66 days LEMON DROP Light lemon yellow with richest golden throat, shaded on lower petals. A fine little miniature. Clear.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

LEMON LASS Miniature (110) blooms in 69 days Brightest of lemon-yellow color, self. This is one variety that shows its type real well in the miniature flowering.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

LITTLE BOB Miniature (252) blooms in 70 days

Carmine red with intense cream blotch on lower petals. Wing shaped petals. Cream touches on outer edges of petals. Lovely combination.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

LITTLE FELLOW Miniature (232) blooms in 65 days Combination of salmon and orange which is lovely. Wiry spike, with several florets open. A show winner 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 in this type. Bulblets 50c per packet

Primulinus (212) blooms in 66 days LULLABY Deep lemon-yellow with border of orange-red on ends of all petals, throat deeper yellow. Very attractive.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

MODISTE Primulinus (276) blooms in 68 days

Small flowering Primulinus Type flower. Color of a light violet and lavender, purple blotch throat, 3 to 4 open on a nice spike. Tall growing.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

MY DARLING Miniature (136) blooms in 69 days

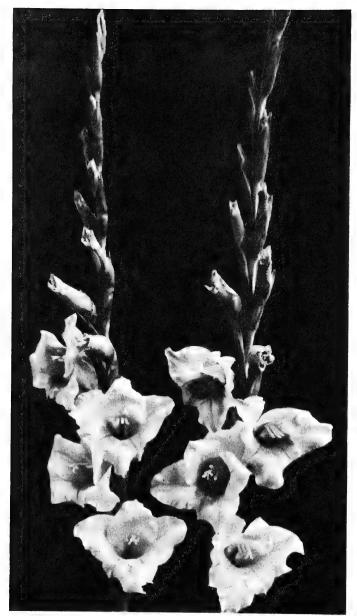
Very colorful bi-color of clearest carmine ground color, bordered on all petals of richest creamy yellow. Carmine throat blotch extends outward in spectacular points on all petals. Wonderful.

> 25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

REPOSE Primulinus (216) blooms in 65 days

Tall, beautiful plant and good habits. Color a golden buff and yellow, with slight blush-pink on outer petals. Good variety to multiply. Very fine for table bouquets.

> 6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet



BABY SNAPDRAGON

SAFFRON KING Primulinus (320) blooms in 76 days Rich saffron-orange, beautifully flaked deeper orange, clear, rich golden orange throat blotches.

> 10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

SALMON RUFFLES Miniature (232) blooms in 69 days Salmon, pink-rose feathered throat. Upright growing. rich green foliage.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

STARTLING Miniature (116) blooms in 60 days A very dainty Laciniated or cut edge petaled type of flower. Light pink and buff, has an overcast, red feathered throat. One of the dainty type flowers for arrangements. 6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 55c per packet

**TAPESTRY** Primulinus (370) blooms in 72 days Reddish-purple color with intense rich purple markings in throat. This is a new color in this type of Gladiolus.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75 Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00

**TAURUS** Primulinus (270) blooms in 67 days Distinct, rare and fine purple-velvet. A most unusual color for a primulinus variety. A prize winner.

> 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2,00

WEDGEWOOD Ruffled (366) blooms in 80 days A beautiful waxy lavender ruffled, with a rich cream throat. One of the most talked about small glad we know of. Lovely. 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00 Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

WHITE BUTTERFLY Primulinus (200) blooms in 70 days First class all white, with creamy white throat. Fine slender stem, a good cut flower.

> 7c ea., 10 for 65c, 100 for \$6.00 Bulblets 50c per packet

WHITE QUEEN Miniature (200) blooms in 73 days A little gem of white, with a tinge of cream in throat.

25c ea., 10 for \$2.00, 100 for \$18.00 Bulblets 10 for 40c, 100 for \$3.00

WISP Miniature (240) blooms in 79 days One of the new outstanding varieties of the miniature family. Slender stems, with small, light pink florets. Good. 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00

Bulblets 10 for 25c, 100 for \$2.00

YELLOW FRILLS Primulinus (312) blooms in 83 days Clear deep canary yellow, slightly deeper on lower petals. Many splendid ruffled florets open. Grand.

10c ea., 10 for 90c, 100 for \$8.50 Bulblets 50c per packet

ZONA Primulinus (242) blooms in 67 days Grandiflora type. Deep salmon-pink; lower petals rich, deep canary-yellow, outer portion a lighter shade of salmon-pink. Deep rose-pink blotches on center of lower petals. A dependable prize winner.

6c ea., 10 for 55c, 100 for \$5.00 Bulblets 35c per packet

Collection No. 7

One Bulb each of all Miniature & Primulinus listed 43 varieties.

Catalog Value \$7.33 for only \$6.96 Postpaid Collection No. 8

Two Bulbs each of all Miniature & Primulinus listed 86 Bulbs,

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Ten Bulbs each of all Miniature & Primulinus Listed 430 Bulbs,

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### CONTROL OF THE Gladiolus THRIP

Gladiolus are frequently infested with a thrip that feeds almost entirely on the gladiolus foliage and flower in the field and also winters over on the bulb in storage. This thrip does not winter over out of doors in the northern areas of the United States.

Thrips may be introduced into a planting on infested bulbs or they may be carried into a planting on infested bloom from a neighbor. The adult thrip can fly short distances and a migration frequently takes place so that an infested planting at a nearby neighbor may be the source of your trouble.

Elimination of the overwintering thrips on the bulbs can be secured by dusting the bulbs with a one, three or five per cent DDT dust. The bulbs should be thoroughly dried off after digging and then dusted with the DDT dust at the rate of one ounce of the dust to a bushel of bulbs. Place the bulbs in a sack with the dust and shake thoroughly, then empty the bulbs out in the storage trays. One dusting is all that is required.

Thrips can be controlled on the growing plant with spray

consisting of I oz. of tartar emetic, 2 oz. brown sugar to 3 gals. of water. Control can also be secured by spraying with a 1% DDT spray. Use 21/2 oz. of a 50% wettable DDT powder to I gal. of water, keeping thoroughly agitated. Spraying to be effective must be thorough, both sides of the foliage must be covered with the spray material and the application should be made at regular seven to ten day intervals.

A 5% DDT dust is also effective in controlling thrips in the field. Dusting is not very effective unless a good hand duster is secured that will put out an even fine dust that will cover the foliage with a light uniform dust film. Repeat the dusting application at seven to ten day intervals.

Dust or spray applications should be started when the plants are about six inches high if thrips are present. If no thrips are present on the bulbs at planting time, watch the plants closely during the growing season and start the control program at the first sign of gladiolus thrip infestation.

#### FORMULA FOR DIPPING GLADIOLUS BULBS

New Improved Ceresan Dip —

- I oz. New Improved Ceresan
- 3 Teaspoons Dreft Soap Flakes

3 gals. Water

Stir the three above agents; do not use hands when stirring. Soak bulbs in the solution for 15 minutes, bulblets for 30 minutes, then allow to drain before planting. Plant right away and do not treat more than the amount of bulbs you intend to plant. Considerable damage may be had in the event the bulbs become dry after treating. Care should be taken in handling the above material as it is very poisonous.

# BULBS AND PLANTS IN THIS CATALOG — SENT PREPAID 50 BULBS at the 100 Rate — EXCEPT WHERE INDICATED Please READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ORDERING

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**GUARANTEE:** We guarantee safe arrival of all shipments. All State Inspected Bulbs with Certificate attached to all parcels.

**QUALITY:** We exercise the greatest care in growing and caring for bulbs at all stages.

**TRANSPORTATION CHARGES:** We prepay all transportation charges except where noted. If shipments are wanted earlier than our regular ship-

ping season customer stands charges. Cash must accompany all orders if charges of delivery are to be paid.

Outside the United States shipments go forward at customers risk, all shipments must be paid for in advance.

**CLAIMS FOR SHORTAGES:** These must be made within ten days upon receipt of goods.

**SUBSTITUTIONS:** Unless stated we reserve the right to substitute as close to the variety as possible to equal or better value. Please indicate if no substitution is wanted or refund requested. We do reserve the right to make substitutions in all special collections.

**SHIPPING:** Orders are assorted and shipped according to states and planting conditions in the locality the shipment is to be made.

Complete Cultural Instructions Will Accompany Each Order

### ORDERS WILL BE SHIPPED PROMPTLY PROVIDING WEATHER IS SUITABLE FOR PERISHABLE GOODS.

Dust and Spray material will be found on reverse side of Order Blank.

For Best Results Use Materials as Stated in Directions.

Our SPRING CIRCULAR offering PERENNIALS, ROSES, DAHLIAS etc., Will be MAILED in Early MARCH

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# KUNDERD'S GARDEN PRIZE-WINNING COLLECTIONS

# Collection No. 10 ALL WHITE COLLECTION

The ever increasing desire for white in the garden and white blooms for decorative purposes demand that a special offer of white alone be made up for your approval. The six white we select are all varieties of topnotch quality.

4 SNOW PRINCESS	.20
A WHITE BULLEKELL	1.00
LIOPNING KISS	.40
	.40
4 LEADING LAUT 4 JUNE BELLS	.60
4 JUNE BELLS 4 FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE	

REGULAR CATALOG VALUE \$2.72
ENTIRE COLLECTION ......\$2.10
(24 Bulbs) Postpaid

# 50 PINK TONED all shades of pink

Pink Gladiolus are always in demand, greatly admired by ever so many gardeners. Because of their charming appeal we are offering this low-priced assortment of just Pink Tones. We are including varieties from the very light to dark pinks. They come to you named and labeled.

5 ETHEL CAVE COLE	\$ .35
5 PICARDY	
5 ROSA VAN LIMA	.35
5 CHERIE	.75
5 TIVOLI	.75
5 SPIC & SPAN	
5 H. B. PITT	
5 GEN. EISENHOWER	.75
5 CHAMOUNY	.75
5 CHAS. A. STEVENS	.50
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# Collection No. 12 ALL YELLOW COLLECTION

Somewhere in the garden you want a bright spot, this may be accomplished by a planting or group of yellow flowers. We offer six attractive yellow varieties all labeled for identification.

	4 10
4 GOLD DUST 4 GOLDEN GATE	
4 GOLDEN GATE 4 HOPMAN'S GLORY	\$ 24
A HOREN GAIE	+ .49
4 HOPMAN'S GLORY 4 MASKERADE 4 SPOTLIGHT	.40
4 SPOTLICHT	40
4 YELLOW FRILLS	.40
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REGULAR CATALOG VALUE	

# Collection No. 13 ALL PURPLE COLLECTION

For our customers who do not want to take the time to select colors, yet would like some dark shades very much, we are making this assortment for you. Just purples that make lovely combinations with white. Here are six of the very best in the popular price class.

4	VIOLA GEM\$	.4
4	ROYAL PURPLE	.2
4	PURPLE SUPREME	.4
	PAUL RUBENS	
4	MRS. MARK'S MEMORY	.6
	KING LEAR	

REGULAR CATALOG VALUE \$2.64 ENTIRE COLLECTION \$2.25 (24 Bulbs) Collection No. 14

### 50 ALL DARK COLLECTION

We will select 50 of the darkest shades you could ever think of. Blood-reds, violets, deep blues and browns. This is one assortment that we know will go in a great rush so get your order in early. These are the colors that are very scarce in one's collection.

5 VAGABOND PRINCE\$	.50
5 SPLENDORRA	.50
5 PARNASSUS	.50
5 MARSHAL MONTGOMERY	1.25
5 HARRY HOPKINS	.75
5 GIANT RED	.75
5 BURMA	.75
5 BLACK OPAL	.50
5 BEAU IDEAL	.75
5 ABU HASSAN	.50

REGULAR CATALOG VALUE \$6.75 ENTIRE COLLECTION \$5.95 Collection No. 15
ALL
SALMON - SAFFRON ORANGE

In this selection you will find the very finest group of varieties in this ever so attractive shade and tones. You are assured of satisfaction at blooming time with shades that are very popular both in the garden and home make-up.

4	BALLET	1.25
4	GUINEA GOLD	.40
4	MARGARET FULTON	.24
4	SPRING MAID	.40
4	SOLITA	.40
4	PRINCESS BEATRIX	1.25

REGULAR CATALOG VALUE \$3.94 ENTIRE COLLECTION .... \$3.25 (24 Bulbs)

Collection No. 16

BABY GLAD COLLECTION — To introduce to you the Miniature Flowering Type of Gladiolus we make this attractive offer. This assortment will be made up of at least 20 varieties in fine colors and shades. \$6.00 per 100

Medium Size Bulbs \$4.75 per 100

Collection No. 17

RUFFLED PETALED COLLECTION — So many of our customers want a Ruffled Petaled Collection made up of all colors, made up of new and the best older varieties for the garden. In this offer we will give you 10 Bulbs each of 10 varieties or 100 bulbs, Postpaid for only \$12.00

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# Now! The NEW Improved

### LACINATUS

### MUCH LARGER and IMPROVED AN IDEAL DECORATIVE FLOWER

IMPROVED LACINATUS — Laciniated (362) blooms in 67 days. The illustration below is to size of this improved type. This type of flower was introduced to the public in 1923 at a very high price, to the breeder this flower would be very helpful as a parent. Color a beautiful shade of old rose, has slender graceful stems which make a very attractive appearance. Crossed with certain varieties of Gladiolus it produces some wonderful colors. STOCK VERY LIMITED.

50c ea., 3 for \$1.25, 10 for \$3.75. Bulblets 10 for 50c, 100 for \$4.00.

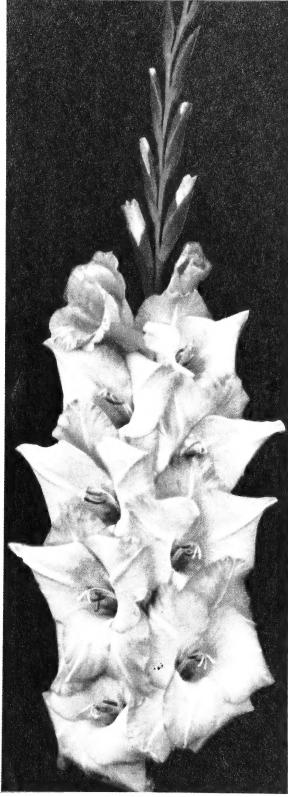
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#### **ORANGE GOLD**

Orange self color which is very beautiful. Its huge robust foliage of richest green is a lovely contrast. 5 to 6 large blooms open on an 18 bud spike. Tall. 15c ea., 10 for \$1.20, 100 for \$11.00

See reverse side of Order Blank for listing of Dusts and Sprays for your garden.

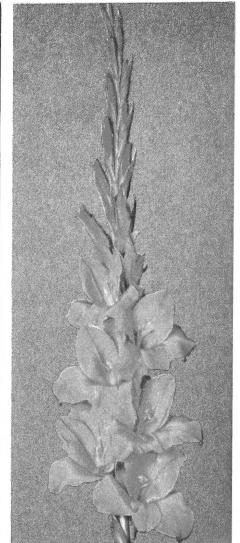


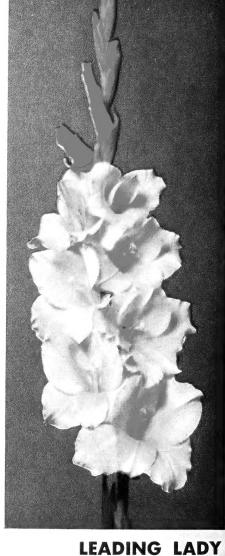


**TYRONE** 

One of the very finest new introductions that has come out in years. What a record of show winnings! A wonderful new lavender.

\$1.00 per bulb





**PURPLE** 

SUPREME CORSAGE Glamillias Gladiolus

### GLADIOLUS FARMS

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